



Docket No.: 064903-0024

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Hiroshi ICHIKAWA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 2673
Application No.: 10/822,864	:	Group Art Unit: 3653
Filed: April 13, 2004	:	Examiner: K. K. Kumar
For: BILL HANDLING SYSTEM AND BILL HANDLING METHOD	:	

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2006. Accordingly, this response is due on or before April 20, 2007, together with a petition and fee for a one month extension of time.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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